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Comments: Final Report
(Women's Tennis)

Albany, N.Y. -- Freshman Meredith Hidle won in three sets at second singles, and then teamed with Jackie Knapp for a victory at first doubles, as Albany upended Franklin Pierce, 5-4, on Saturday afternoon at University Courts.

With the match tied at four apiece, Hilde and Knapp (Schenectady H.S.) captured an 8-4 pro-set over Franklin Pierce's Ana Crnilovic and Tracy Flaherty. Hidle also defeated Flaherty in singles, 6-2, 2-6, 6-2.

Albany, which is off to its best start in this decade, improves to 6-1, while Franklin Pierce falls to 2-2.

-agate-

Albany 5, Franklin Pierce 4

Singles: Ana Crnilovic (F) def. Jackie Knapp (A), 6-4, 6-1; Meredith Hidle (A) def. Tracy Flaherty (F), 6-2, 2-6, 6-2; Kara Ducharme (F) def. Deborah Schoenblum (A), 6-3, 7-6 (7-5); Natasha Crnilovic (F) def. Eriko Takemura (A), 7-6 (7-4), 6-4; Mary Wood (A) def. Tina Eramo (F), 6-0, 6-0; Lindsey Hartman (A) def. Jenn Kelly (F), 6-0, 6-0.

Doubles: Knapp/Hidle (A) def. A. Crnilovic/Flaherty (F), 8-4; Ducharme/N. Crnilovic (F) def. Julie Glickman/Schoenblum (A), 8-3; Wood/Hartman (A) def. Kelly/Athena Gardner, 8-1.

Records: Franklin Pierce (2-2), Albany (6-1).

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(Women's Volleyball)

Albany, N.Y. -- Senior outside hitter Maura Gormely had 17 kills and Jolie Ward added 15 more to lead Stony Brook to a 15-7, 15-10, 15-4 victory over Pace in the championship match of the 1995 Great Dane Invitational on Saturday afternoon at University Gym.

In the third place match, American International rallied for a 15-8, 12-15, 9-15, 15-6, 16-14 triumph over Albany. Senior Gigi Legendre led the Great Danes with 19 kills.

Albany (8-3), which also dropped a five-game decision to American International to begin the season, reached the third-place match with a 15-5, 15-9, 15-9 decision over Stonehill earlier in the day. Rafaela Nikas had 17 kills, while Kelly Heider added seven kills and 12 digs.

-agate-

1995 Great Dane Invitational

Championship: Stony Brook def. Pace, 15-7, 15-10, 15-4

Third Place: American International def. Albany, 15-8, 12-15, 15-9, 15-6, 16-14

Fifth Place: LeMoyne def. Massachusetts-Lowell, 15-13, 15-2, 6-15, 15-11

Seventh Place: Stonehill def. Merrimack, 15-8, 15-5, 15-10

Preliminary Round

Albany def. Stonehill, 15-5, 15-9, 15-9

Stony Brook def. American International, 15-3, 15-7, 11-15, 15-4

LeMoyne def. Merrimack, 15-5, 15-4, 15-8

Pace def. Massachusetts-Lowell, 15-11, 13-15, 15-7, 15-9

Stony Brook def. LeMoyne, 15-9, 15-3, 15-11

American International def. Merrimack, 15-6, 15-4, 15-5

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Comments:

(Cross Country)
Cortland, N.Y. --
at Cortland Invitational
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MEN

Team: Haverford 51, R.I.T. 70, Rochester 78, Gettysburg 174, St. Lawrence 177, Geneseo 181, Ithaca 186, Albany 213, Plattsburgh 218, Houghton 244, St. Rose (13th) 342.

Albany Finishers: Roderick Rose (16th) 25:46, Douglas Carl (27th) 26:03, Brendan Howell (60th) 26:51, Brian Osborne (62nd) 26:54, Kevin Rahner (66th) 26:58.

WOMEN

Team: Cortland 18, Geneseo 27, Haverford 127, Gettysburg 171, Houghton 188, St. Rose 197, Ithaca 212, Rochester 229, Buffalo State 265, Brockport 279, Albany (12th) 303.

Albany Finishers: Tonya Dodge (17th) 18:54, Erin Roach (19th) 18:57.

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Comments:

(Men's Soccer)

Albany, N.Y. -- Freshman forward Atti Javor scored twice in the final two minutes of regulation to lead Franklin Pierce past Albany, 2-0, in a New England Collegiate Conference game on Saturday afternoon at Varsity Field.

Javor took a pass from Bozidar Simic and fired a shot to the left of Albany goalkeeper Jon Jacobs to provide Franklin Pierce, ranked sixth nationally in NCAA Division II, a 1-0 lead with one minute and 54 seconds left in the contest. Javor scored his second goal from in front of the box off Milos Mamula's assist at 89:46 to seal the outcome.

Jeff Burstein made one save to record the shutout, while Jacobs stopped eight shots in the Great Dane net. Franklin Pierce remains undefeated at 8-0 and 3-0 in the NECC, while Albany drops to 2-6-1 and 0-3 in conference play.

-agate-

Franklin Pierce 2, Albany 0

Franklin Pierce	0	2	-	2
Albany	0	0	-	0

Scoring - Franklin Pierce: Atti Javor 2-0, Bozidar Simic 0-1, Milos Mamula 0-1.

Albany: none. Saves - Franklin Pierce: Jeff Burstein 1. Albany: Jon Jacobs 8. Records: Franklin Pierce (8-0, NECC 3-0), Albany (2-6-1, NECC 0-3).

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(Women's Soccer)

Albany, N.Y. -- Sophomore midfielder Susanne Bergstrom scored twice as Franklin Pierce, the No. one ranked team in NCAA Division II, defeated Albany, 10-0, in a New England Collegiate Conference game on Saturday afternoon at Varsity Field.

Bergstrom scored from 28 yards away to put Franklin Pierce ahead, 3-0, at six minutes and 27 seconds. Pauliia Miettinen, who had one goal and two assists, converted Pamella Larsson's crossing pass 24 seconds later for a 4-0 Franklin Pierce advantage at 6:51.

Albany goalkeeper Kristen Galu stopped 15 shots, while Jeanette Smith and Melissa Robles combined on the shutout for the Ravens, who out-shot the Great Danes, 30-0. FPC remains undefeated at 9-0 and 2-0 in the NECC, and Albany drops to 3-6 and 0-4 in the NECC.

-agate-

Franklin Pierce 10, Albany 0

Franklin Pierce	6	4	-	10
Albany	0	0	-	0

Scoring - Franklin Pierce: Susanne Bergstrom 2-1, Pauliia Miettinen 1-2, Pamella Larsson 1-1, Jen Miller 1-1, Ewa Bergsten 1-0, Amy Hanlon 1-0, Nathalie Geeris 1-0, Christina Forssell 1-0, Cassie Beckwith 1-0, Jami Ladakakos 0-1. Albany: none. Saves - Franklin Pierce: Melissa Robles 0, Jeanette Smith 0. Albany: Kristen Galu 15, Mauria Miller 1. Records: Franklin Pierce (9-0, NECC 2-0), Albany (3-6, 0-4 NECC).

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Comments:

(Women's Volleyball)

Albany, N.Y. -- Rafaela Nikas recorded seven kills and 10 digs to lead Albany to a 15-13, 15-9, 15-2 victory over Massachusetts-Lowell in the second round of the 1995 Great Dane Invitational at University Gym.

In the opening round, Pace knocked off Albany, 15-6, 13-15, 15-6, 15-12, despite a 17-kill, 15-dig effort from Nikas, a sophomore outside hitter.

The eight-team tournament continues on Saturday with the third round and championship bracket matches. The Great Danes are 7-2 overall.

-agate-

1995 Great Dane Invitational

Preliminary Rounds

Pace def. Albany, 15-6, 13-15, 15-6, 15-12

Albany def. Massachusetts-Lowell, 15-13, 15-9, 15-2

American International def. LeMoyne, 15-13, 15-17, 15-12, 16-14

Massachusetts-Lowell def. Stonehill, 15-9, 15-12, 15-10

Stony Brook def. Merrimack, 15-2, 15-9, 15-5

Pace def. Stonehill, 15-3, 15-13, 15-9

Saturday's Schedule

Preliminary Round, 9:00 a.m.

Consolation Matches, 1:30 p.m.

Championship, 3:00 p.m.

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Comments:

(Field Hockey)

Albany, N.Y. -- Angela Soteriou scored with four minutes and 48 seconds remaining in the first overtime to lead Albany past C.W. Post, 1-0, on Friday afternoon at Albany Field.

Shannon Hartz dove on the ground in front of the cage and knocked the ball to Soteriou, who fired a shot past C.W. Post goalkeeper Lesley Corbett to give the Great Danes (4-3) their second consecutive win. Albany, in its second season as an intercollegiate, varsity program, registered its first victory against a NCAA Division II opponent.

Jessica Marucci recorded her second straight shutout by stopping two shots in the Albany net, while Corbett made three saves for the Pioneers (4-3).
-agate-

Albany 1, C.W. Post 0 (OT)

C.W. Post	0	0	0	-	0
Albany	0	0	1	-	1

Scoring - C.W. Post: none. Albany: Angela Soteriou 1-0, Shannon Hartz 0-1. Saves - C.W. Post: Lesley Corbett 3. Albany: Jessica Marucci 2. Records: C.W. Post (4-3), Albany (4-3).

(Women's Tennis)

Albany, N.Y. -- Jackie Knapp (Schenectady H.S./Schenectady, N.Y.) and Meredith Heidle each won their singles matches to remain undefeated as Albany downed St. Rose, 9-0, on Friday afternoon. Albany, 5-1, is off to its best start in the 1990's.

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-agate-

Singles: Jackie Knapp (A) def. Eva Claramonte (SR), 6-7 (10-8), 6-0, retired;
Meredith Hidle (A) def. Suzanne LaRose (SR), 6-1, 6-2; Deborah Schoenblum (A)
def. Carrie York (SR), 6-2, 6-2; Eriko Takemura (A) def. Stephanie Strack (SR), 6-0,
6-1; Mary Wood (A) def. Michelle Horth (SR), 6-1, 6-0; Julie Glickman (A) def.
Sheetal Vasauda (SR), 6-0, 6-1.

Doubles: Schoenblum/Glickman (A) def. York/LaRose (SR), 8-5; Wood/Lindsey
Hartman (A) def. Strack/Monica Beaton (SR), 8-1; Takemura/Anne Marie
Schumaker (A) def. Horth/Vasauada (SR), 8-2.

Records: St. Rose (2-9), Albany (5-1).

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TWO PLAYERS LEAVE UNIVERSITY AT ALBANY FOOTBALL TEAM

ALBANY, N.Y. -- Two players on the University at Albany football team have decided to leave the program as head coach **Bob Ford** announced today. **Otis Bellamy**, a senior tailback, and **Mark Williams**, a junior defensive tackle, each cited personal reasons.

Bellamy, the Great Danes' top returning rusher and kickoff-return specialist from last season, had started three of four games played this fall. He rushed for 170 yards on 25 attempts with no touchdowns to this point in the season, but had been hampered by recurring health problems. Earlier this month, Bellamy, of Bronx, N.Y., went over the 1,000-yard mark for his career. He totaled 1,141 rushing yards, averaged 6.5 per attempt, and had six TD's.

As a junior, Bellamy started all 10 games at tailback, and was tenth among Upstate New York rushers at 71.9 yards per game. He recorded three 100-yard games, including a career-high 154-yard effort vs. Salisbury State. Bellamy, who averaged 24.4 yards per kickoff return, finished the 1994 campaign with the second highest seasonal total in school history with 1,338 all-purpose yards.

Williams, a reserve defensive tackle from Hempstead, N.Y., had appeared in all four games to date. He missed the entire year in 1994, but had seven tackles and one quarterback sack as a freshman in the previous season.

Albany (1-3), which is competing as a NCAA Division II program for the first time in 1995, is off this week. The Great Danes return to action on Saturday, October 7 for a 1:30 p.m. kickoff at Union.

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Comments:

(Men's Soccer)

Manchester, N.H. -- Sophomore midfielder Dean Sewell scored two of his three goals in the first half to power New Hampshire College to a 5-2 victory over Albany in a New England Collegiate Conference match on Wednesday afternoon at Penmen Field.

Rick Milliken, who tallied two goals and one assist, gave the Penmen a 1-0 lead just one minute and 15 seconds into the contest when he one-timed a shot past Albany goalkeeper Jon Jacobs from 15 yards away. Sewell, an all-NECC choice in 1994, gave New Hampshire, the ninth-ranked team in the latest NCAA Division II poll, a commanding 3-0 advantage with back-to-back goals at 16:50 and 39:58.

Freshman Thomas Mason recorded his first collegiate goal with 3:01 left in the opening period and Joe Augienello scored in the second half for Albany (2-5-1, NECC 0-2). New Hampshire College improves to 7-2 overall and 2-1 in conference play.

-agate-

New Hampshire College 5, Albany 2

Albany	1	1	-	2
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New Hampshire College	3	2	-	5
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Scoring - Albany: Thomas Mason 1-0, Joe Augienello 1-0, Greg Burns 0-1. New Hampshire: Dean Sewell 3-1, Rick Milliken 2-1, Tom Dempsey 0-2, Jamie Williams 0-1, Ulf Karlsson 0-1, Elie Monteiro 0-1. Saves - Albany: Jon Jacobs 3, Mike Cooper 5. New Hampshire: Erik Fenstrom 1, Ante Cop 1. Records: Albany (2-5-1, NECC 0-2), New Hampshire (7-2, NECC 2-1).

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(Women's Soccer)

Albany, N.Y. -- Junior midfielder Heather Boisvere recorded a hat trick as Keene State downed Albany, 7-1, in a New England Collegiate Conference game on Wednesday afternoon at Varsity Field.

Boisvere lofted a direct kick over the head of Albany goalkeeper Kristen Galu to put Keene State ahead, 3-0, at 15 minutes and 16 seconds. Sharon Currie, who had two goals and an assist, fired a shot through Galu's hands nine minutes later to give Keene State a 4-0 advantage at the half.

Albany's Jen Barry booted a high corner kick off the hands of Owl goalkeeper Kristen Daley (Niskayuna H.S./Niskayuna, N.Y.) and into the net to bring the Great Danes within 5-1 at 55:08. But Boisvere scored two goals off a pair of assists from Kate Deysher in the next nine minutes to pad Keene State's margin.

Galu made a career-high 15 saves in the Albany net, while Daley made two saves for Keene State, which enjoyed a 33-5 shot advantage. Keene State (8-3, NECC 3-1) has won five straight, while Albany drops to 3-5 and 0-3 in the NECC.

-agate-

Albany, Keene State

Keene State	4	3	-	7
Albany	0	1	-	1

Scoring - Keene State: Heather Boisvere 3-0, Sharon Currie 2-1, Meghan McCormick 1-1, Nealy Hucker 1-0, Kate Deysher 0-2. Albany: Jen Barry 1-0.

Saves - Keene State: Kristen Daley 2. Albany: Kristen Galu 15. Records: Keene State (8-3, NECC 3-1), Albany (3-5, NECC 0-3).

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Comments:

(Field Hockey)

Albany, N.Y. -- Angela Soteriou collected a goal and an assist in the second half as Albany broke a three-game losing streak with a 2-0 victory over Western New England College on Tuesday afternoon at Albany Field.

Liz Peck scored off a rebound of Soteriou's initial shot to put Albany ahead, 1-0, at 49 minutes and 34 seconds. Soteriou netted her first goal of the season during a scramble in front of the cage for a 2-0 Albany lead at 59:20.

Jessica Marucci did not face a shot in the Great Dane net, while Natalie Pisarcik made 13 saves for the Golden Lions, who were outshot, 23-0.

Albany improves to 3-3, while WNEC remains winless at 0-6.

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Albany 2, Western New England College 0

Western New England College	0	0	-	0
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Albany	0	2	-	2
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Scoring - WNEC: none. Albany: Angela Soteriou 1-1, Liz Peck 1-0. Saves - WNEC: Natalie Pisarcik 13. Albany: Jessica Marucci 0. Records: WNEC (0-6), Albany (3-3).

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Comments: College Column

Women's Volleyball: Albany is off to a quick start at 6-1 overall. Two-sport standout Rafaela Nikas is averaging 3.00 kills and 3.91 digs as a sophomore outside hitter.

Nikas started all 13 games as a freshman midfielder on the Albany's women's lacrosse team, which posted a school-record 9-4 mark and advanced to the ECAC Mid-Atlantic Regional Tournament in 1994.

Women's Tennis: Another two-sport athlete has the Albany women's tennis team off to its best start in the 1990s at 4-1 overall. Freshman Jackie Knapp, of Schenectady High, has a 5-0 record at first singles, and will play softball for the Great Danes in the spring. At Schenectady High, she had a 34-2 regular-season singles record and was the Big Ten League MVP in softball.

Freshman Mary Wood, who played in the No. 2 singles slot at Schenectady High with Knapp, has a 3-2 record at fifth singles for Albany.

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Comments: College Sports Column

Women's Tennis: Freshmen Jackie Knapp and Mary Wood, who both played at Schenectady High School, have helped Albany get off to its best start in the 1990's at 4-1 overall.

Knapp is 5-0 at first singles, and trailed 4-1 and two service breaks in the first set of her last match before winning 7-6 (7-2), 6-0 over Hartwick's Stacey Wright. Knapp had a 34-2 regular-season record during her final three scholastic seasons, and reached the Section II quarterfinal round as a junior and senior. Knapp, the Big Ten MVP in softball, will also be positioned at shortstop for the Great Danes, and has worked out an arrangement where she can play both sports next spring.

Wood, Schenectady High's No. 2 player last year, has a 3-2 collegiate record at fifth singles.

Albany, which had won just 13 of 67 dual matches in this decade prior to the current season, is coached by third-year mentor Darcie Trapasso. Her husband, Joe Trapasso, who guided Siena to 110 victories in his tenure as women's tennis coach, is her assistant. Albany went from 1-9 in her first season to 5-12 in 1994-95.

Albany hosts the 1995 New England Collegiate Conference Championships on October 14-15.

Women's Volleyball: The Great Danes are also off to a quick start at 6-1 overall, and also boast a two-sport athlete in sophomore Rafaela Nikas. An outside hitter, Nikas is averaging 3.00 kills and 3.91 digs, and has 15 service aces in 22 games played. Nikas started all 13 games on Albany's women's lacrosse team as a freshman midfielder. She finished with eight goals, three assists and 49 groundballs, as Albany set a school-record with a 9-4 mark.

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Comments:

(Men's Soccer)

Albany, N.Y. -- Komi Afeto collected a goal and an assist in the second half to lead Dowling past Albany, 2-0, on Saturday afternoon at Varsity Field.

George Maffia took a lead pass from Afeto, side-stepped Albany sweeper Russell DiBenedetto, and placed a shot inside the right post for a 1-0 Dowling lead at 61 minutes and 17 seconds. Afeto sealed the outcome when he scored off Wayne O'Neal's rebound with 47 seconds remaining.

Cliff Lewis made two saves for Dowling (5-1-1), while Jon Jacobs stopped 11 shots in the Great Dane net. Albany, which was outshot, 21-5, falls to 2-4-1.

-agate-

Dowling 2, Albany 0

Dowling	0	2	-	2
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Albany	0	0	-	0
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Scoring - Dowling: Komi Afeto 1-1, George Maffia 1-0, Wayne O'Neal 0-1. Albany: none. Saves - Dowling: Cliff Lewis 2. Albany: Jon Jacobs 11. Records - Dowling: (5-1-1), Albany (2-4-1).

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ALBANY SPORTS 2-2-2

(Women's Soccer)

Manchester, N.H. -- Junior Heather Swabowicz scored twice to lead New Hampshire College to a 4-0 victory over Albany in a New England Collegiate Conference match on Saturday afternoon at Penmen Field.

New Hampshire College (6-1, NECC 1-0) opened the scoring at 24:34 in the first half, when Sara Karlsson sent a 15-yard shot into the net off a lead pass from Anna Wallin. Swabowicz netted two goals in the second half to pad NHC's margin.

Goalkeeper Chris Padula faced just one shot en route to recording her second straight shutout for New Hampshire College, which is ranked 12th nationally among NCAA Division II schools.

Kristen Galu turned aside 14 shots in the Great Dane net, as Albany dropped to 3-4 overall and 0-2 in conference play.

-agate-

New Hampshire College 4, Albany 0

Albany	0	0	-	0
New Hampshire College	2	2	-	4

Scoring - Albany: none. New Hampshire: Heather Swabowicz 2-0, Sara Karlsson 1-0, Sherri Thorp 1-0, Anna Wallin 0-2, Becky Dorunda 0-1, Kristi Kozak 0-1. Saves - Albany: Kristen Galu 14. New Hampshire: Chris Padula 0. Records - Albany (3-4, NECC 0-2), New Hampshire (6-1, NECC 1-0).

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(Women's Soccer)

New Paltz, N.Y. -- Sophomore Chris Tokarz (Waterford-Halfmoon H.S./Waterford, N.Y.) scored seven minutes into overtime to lead Albany past New Paltz, 2-1, on Wednesday afternoon.

Tokarz netted her first career goal when she chipped a ball over the head of New Paltz goalkeeper Kristy Green at 97:00 as Albany evened its record at 3-3. Debra Keiser headed in Jen Barry's crossing pass at 11:00 to put the Great Danes ahead 1-0. New Paltz's Kathy Murphy scored the equalizer four minutes into the second half on a breakaway.

Kristen Galu stopped three shots in the Albany net, while Green made 11 saves for New Paltz (1-3-1).

-agate-

Albany 2, New Paltz 1

Albany	1	0	1	-	2
New Paltz	0	1	0	-	1

Scoring - Albany: Debra Keiser 1-0, Chris Tokarz 1-0, Jen Barry 0-1.
New Paltz: Kathy Murphy 1-0. Saves - Albany: Kristen Galu 3. New Paltz: Kristy Green 11. Records: Albany (3-3), New Paltz (1-3-1).

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ALBANY SPORTS 2-2-2

(Women's Tennis)

Albany, N.Y. -- Erin Ford and Sue McGowan each won in straight sets at third and fourth singles to lead Hartwick to a 7-2 victory over Albany on Wednesday afternoon.

Albany's Jackie Knapp (Schenectady H.S.) and Meredith Hidle each remained unbeaten in singles play at 5-0 overall. At first singles, Knapp trailed 4-1 and two service breaks in the first set, before rallying for a 7-6 (7-2), 6-0 triumph.

-agate-

Hartwick 7, Albany 2

Singles: Jackie Knapp (A) def. Stacey Wright (H), 7-6 (7-2), 6-0; Meredith Hidle (A) def. Tory McKenna (H), 2-6, 6-2, 6-4; Erin Ford (H) def. Deborah Schoenblum (A), 6-3, 6-3; Sue McGowan (H) def. Eriko Takemura (A), 6-3, 6-3; Jennifer Givner (H) def. Mary Wood (A), 6-7 (7-3), 6-1, 6-4; Joanna Barrie (H) def. Julie Glickman (A), 6-1, 6-0.

Doubles: Wright-McKenna (H) def. Knapp-Hidle (A), 8-3; McGowan-Barrie (H) def. Schoenblum-Glickman (A), 8-4; Ford-Givner (H) def. Wood-Lindsey Hartman (A), 8-3.

Records: Hartwick (4-1), Albany (4-1).

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(Women's Field Hockey)

Albany, N.Y. -- Junior attacker Tonya Capparello scored midway through the second half to lead Union to a 1-0 victory over Albany on Tuesday afternoon at Albany Field.

Capparello tallied her fourth goal of the season with a low, hard shot into the left corner from 15 yards away. Senior goalkeeper Elana Goldberg had six saves to record the shutout for the Union (3-2).

Albany (2-3), which was routed by the Dutchwomen, 10-0, last season, got two saves from goaltender Jessica Marucci. The visitors outshot the Great Danes, 10-7.

-agate-

Union 1, Albany 0

Union	0	1	-	1
Albany	0	0	-	0

Scoring - Union: Tonya Capparello 1-0, Albany: none. Saves - Union: Elana Goldberg 6, Albany: Jessica Marucci 2. Records: Union (3-2), Albany (2-3).

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Comments:

(women's soccer)

Fairfield, Conn -- Sacred Heart scored two goals in the second half to defeat Albany, 2-1, in the New England Collegiate Conference opener for both teams on Sunday afternoon in Fairfield, Conn.

Irene Eliea's header goal off Jen Barry's corner kick put Albany ahead 1-0 at 18 minutes and 20 seconds. But Sacred Heart tallied twice in the second half to secure the win.

Albany (2-3, 0-1) plays at New Paltz this Wednesday at 4:00 p.m.

-agate-

Albany	1	0	-	1
Sacred Heart	0	2	-	2

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Comments:

(Men's Soccer)

Albany, N.Y. -- Stephen Mooney scored the winning goal with four minutes and 45 seconds remaining in the game to lead Sacred Heart past Albany, 2-1, in the New England Collegiate Conference opener for both teams on Saturday afternoon at Varsity Field.

Markel Thompson beat two Albany defenders inside the six-yard line and fed Mooney, who placed a shot inside the right post to put SHU ahead, 2-1. The Pioneers improve to 5-2 overall and 1-0 in the NECC.

Tim Chase booted Sullu Scott's header into the net to put Sacred Heart ahead, 1-0, at 72:59. Albany's Jomo Forrester scored the equalizer two minutes later with a breakaway goal off Jay Auffarth's assist.

Derik Del Cegna made six saves in the Sacred Heart net, while Jon Jacobs stopped five shots for Albany (2-3-1, 0-1).

The Great Danes host Dowling College this Saturday at 2:00 p.m.

-agate-

Sacred Heart	0	2	-	2
Albany	0	1	-	1

Scoring - Sacred Heart: Tim Chase 1-0, Stephen Mooney 1-0, Sullu Scott 0-1, Markel Thompson 0-1. Albany: Jomo Forrester 1-0, Jay Auffarth 0-1.

Saves - Sacred Heart: Derik Del Cegna 6. Albany: Jon Jacobs 5.

Records: Sacred Heart (5-2, 1-0), Albany (2-3-1, 0-1)

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ALBANY SPORTS 2-2-2

(Field Hockey)

New Haven, Conn. -- Sue Ferrara, Keri Strano, and Angela Lukas each scored in the second half to lead Southern Connecticut State past Albany, 3-0, on Saturday afternoon in New Haven, Conn.

Jessica Marucci made six saves for Albany, which out-shot the Owls, 25-14. Valerie Gallo stopped 10 shots in the Southern Connecticut State cage to notch the shutout. The Owls improve to 1-3, while the Great Danes fall to 2-2.

-agate-

Albany	0	0	-	0
Southern Connecticut State	0	3	-	3

Scoring - Albany: No scoring. **Southern Connecticut State:** Sue Ferrara 1-1, Keri Strano 1-0, Angela Lukas 1-0, Lisa Palmer 0-1, Erin Kelly 0-1.

Saves - Albany: Jessica Marucci 6. **Southern Connecticut State:** Valerie Gallo 10, Gretchen Hanelius 2.

Records: Albany (2-2), Southern Connecticut State: (1-3).

(Women's Tennis)

West Haven, Conn. -- Jackie Knapp and Meredith Hidle each won thier singles matches and teamed to win first doubles, as Albany remained undefeated by beating New Haven, 9-0, on Saturday afternoon in West Haven, Conn.

-agate-

ALBANY 9, NEW HAVEN 0

Singles: Jackie Knapp (A) def. Beth Saucier (NH), 6-1, 6-1; Meredith Hidle (A) def. Kerri Kroner 6-0, 6-1; Deb Schoelblum (A) def. Shereyl Aldrich (NH), 6-3, 6-1; Eriko Takemura (A) def. Nicole Myrick (NH), 6-0, 6-0; Mary Wood (A) def. Erica Harris (NH), 6-0, 6-0; Lindsay Hartman (A) def. Bernadette Philip (NH), 6-0, 6-0.

Doubles: Knapp/Hidle (A) def. Saucier/Philip (NH), 8-0;

Schoenblum/Takemura (A) def. Kroner/Aldrich (NH), 8-0; Wood/Hartman (A) def. Myrick/Harris (NH), 8-1.

Records: Albany (4-0), New Haven (0-1).

(Women's Volleyball)

Syracuse, N.Y. --

at LeMoyne with St. Rose

-agate-

Albany def. LeMoyne, 15-8, 15-9, 12-15, 15-12.

Albany def. St. Rose, 15-12, 15-10, 15-13.

LeMoyne def. St. Rose, 15-7, 15-8, 13-15, 15-6.

Records: Albany (4-1), LeMoyne (5-4)

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ALBANY SPORTS 3-3-3

(Cross Country)

University Park, Pa. --

at Penn State Invitational

-agate-

MEN

Team: Penn State 15, Syracuse 80, Lehigh 109, Rider/Shippensburg 130, Duquesne 160, Albany/SUNY-Cortland 181, Bloomsburgh 253, St. Francis 357.

Top 10: Tom McGlynn (PSU) 26:09, Harry Stants (PSU) 26:25, Artie Gilkes (PSU) 26:47, Kyle Bernhardt (PSU) 26:52, Steve Oliver (PSU) 26:53.3, Jesse Breenen (R) 26:53.8, Jamie Simmons (PSU) 26:54, Che Arosemena (PSU) 26:57, Ron Brock (R) 27:04.

Albany Finishers: Roderick Rose (21st) 27:35, Douglas Carl (27th) 27:47.2, Brian Osborne (57th) 28:45, Dennis King (58th) 28:47, Kevin Rahner (67th) 28:55, Brendon Howell (71st) 28:59, Robert Naughtner (92nd) 29:38.6, Scott Crabbe (95th) 29:41, Jeffrey Messina (105th) 30:23, Marty Zeitlin (114th) 30:56, John Kane (123rd) 32:03.

WOMEN

Team: Penn State 22, SUNY-Cortland 37, Duquesne 97, Lehigh 108, Syracuse 122, Bloomsburgh 161, NVTC 201, Albany 205, St. Francis 238, Rider 271.

Top 10: Erin St. John (PSU) 17:26, Donna Fidler (PSU) 17:30, Michelle Franklin (C) 17:44, Kim McGreevy (PSU) 17:50, Heidi Swartz (C) 17:53, Heather Swartz (C) 18:16, Kim Harrity (PSU) 18:26, Jill Kern (PSU) 18:27, Allison Glitz (PSU) 18:33, Ellen Cogswell (L) 18:42.

Albany Finishers: Tonya Dodge (21st) 19:21, Erin Roach (26th) 19:29, Jan Daniels (81st) 21:23, Rebecca Popp (83rd) 21:32, Cindy Many (94th) 22:14, Jen Hein (97th) 22:32, Lisa Setticase (100th) 22:42, Kerry Longobardi (102nd) 22:47, Jennifer Viscardo (112th) 24:02.

NOTE: The Albany/Sacred Heart women's soccer game scheduled for this afternoon will be played tomorrow at 12 noon.

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Comments:

(Field Hockey)

Fairfield, Conn. -- Leslie Greene scored the winning goal with nine minutes, and 33 seconds remaining in overtime to lead Sacred Heart past Albany, 3-2, on Friday afternoon in Fairfield, Conn.

Greene's shot from the top of the circle deflected off Albany goalkeeper Jessica Marucci's pads, and into the goal as Sacred Heart handed Albany (2-1) its first defeat. Sacred Heart improves to 3-1.

Albany's Nicole Berman scored on an assist from Liz Peck to put UA ahead, 2-1, at 45:46. But Sacred Heart's Nicole Menard scored unassisted at 54:59 to knot the score at two-all.

Marucci made a season-high 15 saves for the Great Danes, while Cheryl Simmons stopped eight shots in the Pioneer net.

-agate-

Albany	1	1	0	-	2
Sacred Heart	1	1	1	-	3

Scoring - Albany: Nicole Berman 1-0, Christina Yang 1-0, Liz Peck 0-1, Shannon Hartz 0-1. Sacred Heart: Nicole Menard 1-1, Cheryl Casey 1-0, Leslie Greene 1-0. Saves - Albany: Jessica Marucci 15. Sacred Heart: Cheryl Simmons 8.

Records: Albany (2-1), Sacred Heart: (3-1).

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Comments:

(Women's Soccer)

Albany, N.Y. -- Freshman forward Marissa Lapadura scored the winning goal with six minutes and 57 seconds remaining in regulation to lead Albany past St. Rose, 2-1, on Wednesday afternoon at Varsity Field.

Lapadura took Deb Keiser's crossing pass in front of the net and placed a shot inside the right post to provide Albany (2-2) with a win in its home debut.

Keiser's rebound goal put the Great Danes ahead, 1-0, at 38:54. St. Rose's Danielle Murphy scored the equalizer when she turned and fired into the right corner at 47:30.

Albany got four saves from Kristen Galu, while Christine Serin stopped four shots in the St. Rose net. St. Rose falls to 1-4.

-agate-

St. Rose	0	1	-	1
Albany	1	1	-	2

Scoring - St. Rose: Danielle Murphy 1-0. Albany: Deb Keiser 1-1, Marissa Lappadura 1-0. Saves - St. Rose: Christine Serin 4. Albany: Kristen Galu 4. Records - St. Rose (1-4), Albany (2-2).

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ALBANY SPORTS 2-2-2

(Field Hockey)

Albany, N.Y. -- Junior attacker Shannon Tanner (Stillwater H.S.) scored in the opening three minutes, and Albany went to blank Skidmore, 4-0, on Wednesday afternoon at Albany Field.

Tanner tallied her first goal of the season on a scramble in front of the cage, after Skidmore goalkeeper Emily Boschen stopped an initial shot by Mia Malan.

Junior defender Amy Clark gave Albany (2-0) a two-goal lead 12 minutes into the final half, before teammates Shannon Hartz and Meredith Jackel increased the Great Danes' advantage. Skidmore (1-2) was outshot, 19-0, but Boschen made 13 saves.

-agate-

Skidmore	0	0	-	0
Albany	1	3	-	4

Scoring - Skidmore: none. Albany - Shannon Tanner 1-0, Amy Clark 1-0, Shannon Hartz 1-0, Meredith Jackel 1-0, Nicole Berman 0-1, Jayne Harrington 0-1. Saves - Skidmore: Emily Boschen 13. Albany: Jessica Marucci 0. Records: Skidmore (1-2), Albany (2-0).

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Comments: Women's Soccer & Tennis

(Women's Soccer)

Schenectady, N.Y. -- Kerrie Thomas scored the go-ahead goal eight minutes into the second half to lead Union to a 4-1 victory over Albany on Tuesday afternoon.

Albany's Amy Preece scored with 15:42 left in the opening period to draw the Great Danes even a one apiece. But after Thomas' game-winner, Kimberly Fanning netted her second goal of the game on a direct kick to pad the Dutchwomen's margin.

-agate-

UNION 4, ALBANY 1

Albany	1	0	-	1
Union	1	3	-	4

Scoring - Albany: Amy Preece 1-0. Union: Kimberly Fanning 2-0, Nicole Solomos 1-0, Kerrie Thomas 1-0. Saves - Albany: Kristen Galu 4. Union - Sarah Retersdorf 6. Records: Albany (1-2), Union (2-0).

(Women's Tennis)

Oneonta, N.Y. -- Freshman Jackie Knapp (Schenectady H.S.) won in straight sets at first singles and teamed with Meredith Hidle to win at first doubles in leading Albany to a 5-4 victory at Oneonta State. Knapp polished off Oneonta's Amy Roemer, 6-2, 6-1.

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-agate-

ALBANY 5, ONEONTA STATE 4

Singles: Jackie Knapp (A) def. Amy Roemer (O), 6-2, 6-1; Meredith Hidle (A) def. Alisa Santiago (O), 6-0, 6-4; Jessica Neumann (O) def. Deborah Schoenblum (A), 3-6, 6-4, 7-6 (7-5); Eriko Takemura (A) def. Chrissy Zola (O), 6-1, 6-1; Krista Hatfield (O) def. Mary Wood (A), 6-4, 6-3; Elke Althaus (O) def. Julie Glickman (A), 7-5, 7-5.

Doubles: Knapp-Hidle (A) def. Roemer-Santiago (O), 8-0; Schoenblum-Glickman (A) def. Neumann-Zola (O), 8-4; Hatfield-Althaus (O) def. Lindsay Hartman-Wood (A), 8-6.

Records: Albany (2-0), Oneonta State (0-2).

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Comments:

Men's Soccer

Trenton State 0, Albany 0

Elmira, N.Y. -- Albany and Trenton State battled to a scoreless overtime tie in the finals of the Elmira Invitational on Sunday afternoon. The teams went to penalty kicks to decide the tournament championship where the Lions outscored Albany, 3-0.

Seniors Ron Wilde, Chris McGlinchy and Sean Cox each connected on penalty kicks for Trenton State. Rob Jordan made seven saves for the Lions (4-0-1), while Jon Jacobs turned aside six shots in the Albany net to register his first shutout of the season.

The Great Danes, 2-2-1, host Sacred Heart to open New England Collegiate Conference play this Saturday at 1:00 p.m.

-agate-*

Trenton State (4-0-1)	0	0	0	-	0
Albany (2-2-1)	0	0	0	-	0

Scoring - Trenton State: none. Albany: none

Saves - Trenton State: Rob Jordan 7. Albany: Jon Jacobs 6.

*Match decided on penalty kicks.

Women's Soccer

American International 2, Albany 0

Springfield, Mass. -- Wendi Lawson and Sarah Sorcinelli each scored in the opening 20 minutes of play to lead American International to a 2-0 victory over Albany on Sunday afternoon at AIC Park.

Lawson tallied her second goal in as many days with just one minute and 52 seconds gone in the contest, before Sorcinelli scored midway through the period. Kristine MacLean recorded eight saves en route to the shutout. Jen Barry, a sophomore goalkeeper making her first collegiate start, stopped four shots for Albany (1-1).

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Albany Sports 2-2-2

The Great Danes play at Union College this Tuesday at 4:00 p.m.

-agate-

Albany (1-1)	0	0	-	0
American International (2-0)	2	0	-	2

Scoring - Albany: none. AIC: Wendi Lawson 1-0, Sarah Sorcinelli 1-0, Kari Lynch 0-1.

Saves - Albany: Jen Barry 4. AIC: Kristine MacLean 8. Records - Albany (1-1), AIC (2-0).

Cross Country

BINGHAMTON INVITATIONAL

(Men - 5,000 meters)

Binghamton 25, Albany 32, Alfred 86, Hartwick 115

Top Individuals: 1. Ben Heffernon (B), 26:41; 2. Doug Carl (Alb), 27:08; 3. Bill Kroll (unattached), 27:21; 4. Roderick Rose (Alb), 27:23; 5. Jim Sullivan (B), 27:34.

Cross Country

(Women - 3,000 meters)

Binghamton 27, Albany 39, Hartwick 86, Alfred 87

Top Individuals: 1. Sarah Bunting (B), 20:10; 2. Tonya Dodge (Alb), 20:52; 3. Erin Roach (Alb), 20:58; 4. Erin Kelly (B), 21:02; 5. Christine Hamilton (B), 21:02.

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Comments:

FRANK COLUCCIO NAMED ECAC DIVISION II ROOKIE OF THE WEEK

Centerville, Mass. -- University at Albany's Frank Coluccio (Bishop Maginn H.S. / Colonie, N.Y.) has been selected as the ECAC Division II Rookie of the Week for his performance in last Saturday's 17-10 victory at Central Connecticut State. It was just the second time in school history in which the Great Danes had defeated a Division I-AA football team.

Coluccio, who got his first collegiate start when regular tailback Otis Bellamy has respiratory problems in pre-game drills, rushed for 100 yards on 13 carries and had caught three passes for 24 yards. He left the game in the fourth quarter with a sprained right ankle, and is listed as doubtful for this week's contest at C.W. Post.

Previous to Saturday's effort, the sophomore tailback had run twice for minus-seven yards at Dayton.

As a scholastic running back, Coluccio was a first team all-area selection by both the Albany Times-Union and Daily Gazette.

Jeremy Kachejian, a senior fullback, was named to the ECAC Division II Honor Roll. He rushed for 142 yards on 20 attempts in the Central Connecticut State victory, and had a 31-yard TD run in the second quarter. At 5'7" and 180 pounds, Kachejian has run for 100-plus yards two straight weeks, and had 111 at Dayton in the season opener.

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Comments:

MEN'S SOCCER (at Elmira Invitational)

Albany 7, Lehman 0

WOMEN'S VOLLEYBALL

Albany 3, Sacred Heart 1

Men's Soccer (at Elmira Invitational)

Albany 7, Lehman 0

Elmira, N.Y. -- Albany defeated Lehman, 7-0, in men's soccer on Saturday afternoon in the first round of the Elmira Invitational.

The Great Danes, 2-2, will meet Trenton State in the final on Sunday at 2:30 p.m. Trenton State (4-0) downed Elmira, 2-1, in overtime to advance to the final. The Lions defeated Albany, 3-1, last Saturday in the Binghamton Tournament.

Women's Volleyball

Albany 3, Sacred Heart 1

Albany, N.Y. --

-agate-

Albany def. Sacred Heart, 15-1, 13-15, 15-10, 15-6.

Records: Sacred Heart (0-1), Albany (1-1)

NOTE: The Albany-Bard women's tennis match was postponed due to rainy conditions.



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UNIVERSITY AT ALBANY ANNOUNCES 1995 WOMEN'S VOLLEYBALL CAPTAINS
Gigi Legendre, Deirdre Callahan and Kelly Heider are Selected

ALBANY, N.Y. -- **Gigi Legendre**, a senior outside hitter, **Deirdre Callahan**, a senior middle hitter, and junior middle hitter **Kelly Heider** have been elected as tri-captains on the University at Albany women's volleyball team as head coach Patrick Dwyer announced today.

Legendre, of Port Jefferson, N.Y., will start for the third straight season. She played in all 79 games in 1994, and led the team with 2.93 kills per game and 4.14 digs per game.

A Piermont, N.Y. native, Callahan appeared in 51 games last season and totaled 27 kills and 24 digs. Callahan also served as captain during her senior season at Tappan Zee High School.

Heider, who will serve as captain for the second consecutive season, made 70 appearances in 1994. Heider, of Fairport, N.Y., led Albany with 41 total blocks in 1994.

Albany, which begins its first season at the NCAA's Division II level, hosts Sacred Heart on Saturday, September 9 at 1:00 p.m.



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**UNIVERSITY AT ALBANY ANNOUNCES 1995 FIELD HOCKEY CAPTAINS
Amy Clark and Liz Peck are Selected**

ALBANY, N.Y. -- **Amy Clark**, a junior defender and sophomore attacker **Liz Peck** have been elected as co-captains on the University at Albany field hockey team as head coach Deborah Fiore announced today.

Clark, of Rye Neck, N.Y., served as a tri-captain on Albany's first intercollegiate, varsity team last season. She started all seven games on defense in 1994.

A Pawling, N.Y. native, Peck is a Dean's List student in biology at Albany. At Pawling High School, she served as team captain and received all-league and exceptional senior recognition in 1993.

Albany, which begins its first season at the NCAA's Division II level, opens its 1995 schedule at Vassar College today at 4:00 p.m.



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**UNIVERSITY AT ALBANY ANNOUNCES 1995 WOMEN'S SOCCER CAPTAINS
Melanie Brown, Ellen Braun and Kiona Mattera are Selected**

ALBANY, N.Y. -- **Melanie Brown**, a senior fullback, **Ellen Braun**, a junior sweeper, and junior midfielder **Kiona Mattera** have been elected as tri-captains on the University at Albany women's soccer team as head coach Kristen Youmans announced today.

Brown, of Hopewell Junction, N.Y., started 12 of 15 games played as a fullback last season, and was a member of a defense which recorded four shutouts and allowed just 1.59 goals per game.

Braun, of Kennebunk, Maine, made 16 starts as a sweeper in 1994. A standout member on the Albany women's softball team, Braun started all 30 games at catcher and batted .340 last season.

A Belle Harbor, N.Y. native, Mattera is attempting to return from a knee injury which cut short her sophomore season. She made four appearances as a midfielder in 1994.

Albany, which begins its first season at the NCAA's Division II level and joins the New England Collegiate Conference, plays at American International this Sunday, September 10 at 2:00 p.m.



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**UNIVERSITY AT ALBANY ANNOUNCES 1995 WOMEN'S CROSS COUNTRY CAPTAINS
Cindy Many and Lisa Nesta are Selected**

ALBANY, N.Y. -- Senior **Cindy Many** and junior **Lisa Nesta** have been elected as co-captains on the University at Albany women's cross country team as head coach Kevin Williams announced today.

Many, of Pleasantville, N.Y., placed tenth at the Capital District Collegiate meet, and was 36th at the New York State championships in 1994.

Nesta, of Binghamton, N.Y., finished 14th at the 1994 NCAA Division III championships to become the first Albany woman to earn all-America status. She also won the New York State title, another first for a UA women's runner.

Albany, which begins its first season at the NCAA's Division II level, opens its 1995 schedule at the Binghamton (N.Y.) Invitational this Saturday, September 9, at 12 noon.



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**UNIVERSITY AT ALBANY ANNOUNCES 1995 MEN'S CROSS COUNTRY CAPTAINS
Dennis King and Doug Carl are Selected**

ALBANY, N.Y. -- Senior **Dennis King** and sophomore **Doug Carl** have been elected as co-captains on the University at Albany men's cross country team as head coach Kevin Williams announced today.

A Schenectady, N.Y. native, King is attempting to rebound from a stress fracture in his shin. He finished 44th at the Capital District Collegiate meet in 1994. As a high school athlete at Bishop Gibbons H.S., King won the Section II cross country title, finished 10th at the state meet, and was a Big Ten all-star.

Carl, of Unionvale, N.Y., placed 57th in the ECAC championships, 55th at the NCAA Division III regional championships, and was sixth at the Capital District Collegiate meet.

Albany, which begins its first season at the NCAA's Division II level, opens its 1995 schedule at the Binghamton (N.Y.) Invitational this Saturday, September 9, at 12 noon.



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**ANNELISE CASANO NAMED WOMEN'S TENNIS CAPTAIN
FOR 1995-96 AT THE UNIVERSITY AT ALBANY**

ALBANY, N.Y. -- **Annelise Casano** has been elected as team captain on the University at Albany women's tennis team as head coach Darcie Trapasso announced today.

Casano, a junior from Albany, N.Y., posted a 6-8 singles record, and primarily played in the No. 5 position last fall. She also teamed with three doubles partners to register a 7-7 overall mark.

At Albany High School, Casano was a three-year letterwinner for head coach Deb Clarke, and twice served as team captain.

Albany, which begins its first season at the NCAA's Division II level, opens its 1995 schedule this afternoon with a 3:30 p.m. match at Russell Sage.

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Comments:

Women's Field Hockey

Poughkeepsie, N.Y. -- Freshman attacker Nicole Berman scored with 7:22 remaining in overtime to lift Albany to a 1-0 victory at Vassar in the season opener for both teams on Thursday afternoon.

Berman deflected teammate Mia Malan's shot from 25 yards away past Vassar goalkeeper Kelley Walsh to provide first-year coach Deborah Fiore a victory in her debut. Albany goaltender Jessica Marucci had two saves in recording the shutout, while Walsh turned aside 17 shots.

Albany, which is beginning its second season as a varsity program, hosts Skidmore at Albany Field next Wednesday at 4:00 p.m.

-agate-

Albany 1, Vassar 0 (OT)

Albany	0	0	1	-	1
Vassar	0	0	0	-	0

Scoring - Albany: Nicole Berman 1-0, Mia Malan 0-1, Vassar: none. Saves:
Albany: Jessica Marucci 2, Vassar: Kelley Walsh 17. Records: Albany (1-0),
Vassar (0-1).

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Comments:

Men's Soccer (at Consolation Match of Binghamton (N.Y.) Tournament)
Muhlenberg 4, Albany 2

Saturday's result:

Women's Soccer
Albany 1, Oneonta State 0

Men's Soccer

Muhlenberg 4, Albany 2

Binghamton, N.Y. -- **Todd Ervin** recorded a goal and an assist in the first thirty minutes of the second half to lead Muhlenberg past Albany, 4-2, in the consolation match of the Binghamton Tournament on Sunday afternoon. Albany begins the season 0-2 for only the second time in the last ten seasons.

Brian Kelle scored off an assist from **Brian King** to put Muhlenberg ahead, 1-0, one minute and 25 seconds into the second half. Ervin then assisted **Tim Averell's** goal at 71:31, and added an unassisted goal of his own four minutes later to give his team a 3-0 lead.

Albany's **Chris Pulver** and **Jason Keshinover** each scored in the final ten minutes, but Albany got no closer than 4-2. **Ron Moser** made 2 saves for Muhlenberg (1-0-1), while **Jon Jacobs** stopped four shots in the Albany net.

The Great Danes play at St. Rose this Wednesday, September 6, at 6:00 p.m.

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Muhlenberg (1-1)	0	4	-	4
Albany (0-2)	0	2	-	2

Albany: Chris Pulver 1-0, Jason Keshinover 1-0, Matt Viggiano 0-1. Saves: Jon Jacobs 4, Mike Cooper 1. **Muhlenberg:** Todd Ervin 1-1, Brian Kelle 1-0, Tim Averell 1-0, Tim O'Donohue 1-0, Brian Krug 0-1, Kevin Mastropile 0-1. Saves: Ron Moser 2.

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Saturday's Result

Women's Soccer

Albany 1, Oneonta State 0

Oneonta, N.Y. -- Sophomore **Jen Barry's** goal at one minute, and 27 seconds proved to be the difference, as Albany downed Oneonta State, 1-0, on Saturday afternoon in Oneonta, N.Y. The victory marked Albany's debut in NCAA Division II.

Senior goalkeeper **Kristen Galu**, a converted field player making an emergency start in goal, made 10 saves to notch the shutout.

Albany (1-0) plays at American International this Sunday, September 10, at 2:00.

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Albany (1-0)	1	0	-	1
Oneonta State (0-1)	0	0	-	0

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Men's Soccer (at Binghamton (N.Y.) Tournament)
Trenton State 3, Albany 1

Binghamton, N.Y. -- **Jason Cairns** and **Sean Cox** each scored first-half goals to lead Trenton State past Albany, 3-1, on Saturday afternoon in the first round of the Binghamton Tournament. The game marked Albany's debut in NCAA Division II.

Cairns took a pass from **Ron Wilde**, and scored on a breakaway down the middle to put Trenton State ahead, 1-0, at 27 minutes, and two seconds. Cox connected with a shot inside the right post to give the Lions a two-goal cushion at 44:33.

Jomo Forrester brought Albany within 3-1 late in the contest when he scored on a penalty kick at 73:30. **Rob Jordan** made 11 saves for Trenton State (1-0), while **Jon Jacobs** turned aside 12 shots in the Great Dane net.

Albany (0-1) meets the loser of the Binghamton/Muhlenberg game in the consolation match on Sunday afternoon at 1:00 p.m.

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Trenton State (1-0)	0	1	-	1
Albany (0-1)	1	2	-	3

Albany: Jomo Forrester 1-0. Saves: Jon Jacobs 12. **Trenton State:** Jason Cairns 1-0, Sean Cox 1-0, Tom Luster 1-0, Ron Wilde 0-2, Jim Hummel 0-1. Saves: Rob Jordan 11.